

REMARKS

Claims 21-40 are pending in the application with claims 21, 26, and 32 being independent claims. Claims 21-40 are new.

Response to Election/Restriction

In the Office Action mailed February 3, 2005, the Examiner requested that the Applicants elect among the following species of the claim invention: Species of figure 1, species of figure 3, species of figure 4, or species of figure 5.

Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, the species of figure 3 for prosecution on the merits.

Claim Amendments

The new claims 21-40 do not include new matter and are within the subject matter of the elected species of figure 3.

Conclusion

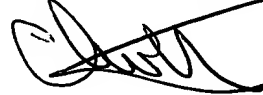
Applicants believe that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Restriction Requirement and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that further personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided. Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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